

Congress Eyes Laws to Put Power Lines Underground

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More and more legislators and private citizens are working actively to maintain the beauty of America's countryside.

For some time there have been organized efforts to reduce the roadside litter that reaches a peak during the summer travel season but mars the scenery all through the year. There have been big drives to eliminate or drastically curtail billboards along interstate highway systems. Several other groups are studying how to eliminate the unsightly automobile junkyards that dot the landscape.

Latest in the beauty parade is a bill introduced to induce power companies to put high-tension wires underground instead of overhead, by granting tax relief for the difference in construction costs. An estimated 300,000 miles of overhead high-tension wires are now strung cross-country,

and by 1980 there may be a million miles of such wires supported by a forest of power towers. The bill, may be the first big step in a drive to halt the proliferation of towers and wires. Industrial progress won't stop, but perhaps some of it can be accomplished in a way that will not disfigure America's natural beauty.

SPACE WATCH — A familiar consumer product, the wristwatch, is being given important roles in sophisticated space and military technologies. Actually, it is not the conventional wristwatch but a transistorized electronic timepiece. Accutron, manufactured for the consumer market by Bulova Watch Co. Two Accutron-based timers were on the control panel of the Gemini Five—one for each astronaut—and the Army has ordered units to be used in clocking high-velocity airborne targets on the

radarscopes of Nike air-defense batteries. The mechanism used in the timers is identical with that used in the consumer wrist models. Like the wrist models, the timers are guaranteed to maintain an accuracy of plus-or-minus two seconds a day. (A fine conventional watch is considered accurate if it maintains an accuracy of plus-or-minus 20 to 30 seconds a day). Bulova, which introduced Accutron to the consumer market in 1960, reports it thus far has produced more than 100 non-consumer models of its super-accurate timepiece for a variety of space, defense, industrial and research applications. Among the latest is a timer for the control panel of Project Apollo's moon-landing craft, the Lunar Excursion Module (LEM).

THINGS TO COME — Refueling pump for campers or boaters in remote places

moves gas directly from a can or pump into built-in fuel tanks of small outboards without spilling, even in rough waters. Collar of pump fits any container. . . . Portable shower-bath fixture made of aluminum has ground spike for installation outdoors, and is particularly suitable for use at the seashore or at summer cottages. Extends to six feet in height, and connects to a garden hose. . . . Holder for insulated bottles mounts under dashboard of cars and trucks with a single clamp, and has a removable cup holder that keeps filled cup upright and firm. . . . Adjustable wrench with narrow head lets mechanics and hobbyists reach areas where special clearance is small. Special upward-tapered and offset handle protects against hand bruises.

CHANGE FOR "5 & 10" — Diversification, modernization and expansion are the by-

words of American business these days. And while the name may be the same, there's many a new look at some of the most venerable of U.S. business institutions. Take the F. W. Woolworth Co. for example. It still sells many of the same kinds of items found in Woolworth's first store in Lancaster, Pa., back in 1879, but today the merchandise runs the gamut from a spool of thread to a complete family wardrobe, from a sauceman to all the major electrical appliances.

Indicative of the company's growth is the recent announcement that it plans to open 30 new stores in this country and Canada between now and the end of the year; 22 of these will be variety stores, 8 will be new Woolco department stores. The company had 3,147 stores in operation on July 31, compared with 3,105 on the same date last year.

BITS O' BUSINESS — New high-strength construction steel that withstands impact in below-zero temperatures announced by Armco Steel. . . . Auto executive says Chrysler is looking forward to the not-too-distant future when one out of two Chrysler products may be sold outside the U.S. . . . Gross national product estimate for the second quarter has been revised upward by about \$8 billion to \$658 billion on an annual rate basis, but this is only a paper change to conform with new business and population surveys made in 1960. . . . New York Central Railroad has a new track-maintenance machine, complete with on-board computer, that raises, surfaces and lines up track at a rate of 20 miles a week. . . . New half-dollars will be made at the Denver mint starting this fall. Silver content will be 40 per cent instead of previous 90 per cent.

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